Sl.No.	State	1998-99	1999-00	2000-01	2001-02	2002-03
16	Manipur	34.41	59.68	334.39	232.42	342.89
17	Meghalaya	0.00	44.30	0.00	0.00	58.10
18	Mizoram	0.00	0.00	0.00	217.10	12.24
19	Nagaland	99.00	104.72	97.25	36.60	0.00
20	Orissa	140.40	94.61	42..50	245.16	21.58
21	Punjab	173.15	25.00	352.32	132.25	182.59
22	Rajasthan	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	336.24
23	Sikkim	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.20
24	Tamil Nadu	127.93	182.45	111.60	670.05	365.79
25.	Tripura	9.05	0.00	231.05	0.00	82.75
26.	Uttar Pradesh	132.57	204.73	560.13	221.62	178.77
27	Uttranchal	0.00	0.00	0.00	17.35	2.53
28.	West Bengal	493.95	252.96	236.00	127.35	367.54
	Union Territories					
29.	Andaman & Nicobar	6.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
30	Delhi	8.00	1.07	1.00	0.00	12.00
31	Pondicherry	0.00	0.00	0.00	3.00	0.00

Setting up of NIFT

2140. SHRI PREM CHAND GUPTA: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are setting up a new food research body-the National Institute of Food Technology (NIFT)-with the aim of providing cutting-edge technological intervention to the food processing industry; and

(b) if so, what are the details of the project?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI N.T. SHANMUGAM): (a) and (b) A proposal to set up a National Institute of Food Technology & Management has been mooted. It is at preliminary stages and details have not yet been worked out.